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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Shintaro ICHIHARA

Appln. No.: 09/533,107

Group Art Unit: 2622

Confirmation No.: 8572

Examiner: Twyler Marie Lamb

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For: IMAGE DATA PRINTING SYSTEM AND IMAGE DATA PRINTING METHOD

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 1, 2003 to January 1, 2004.

A check for the statutory fee of \$420.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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